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## **Expect the Unexpected Work Zone Awareness Memorial Event**

**What:** As part of the annual observance of National Work Zone Awareness Week (NWZAW),

Georgia DOT will host an on-site Work Zone Awareness event in an active worksite. The program, observing work zone safety and memorializing Georgia DOT workers killed in highway construction zones, will feature remarks from Georgia DOT Commissioner Russell McMurry, as well as representatives from federal, state and local entities.

The program theme "Expect the Unexpected" highlights the importance of drivers practicing extra caution in work zones, paying attention, slowing down and driving

responsibly for the safety of workers as well as for themselves.

**When:** Tuesday, March 24, 2015 at 1:30 pm

Where: Northwest Corridor work zone on I-75 at the Canton Road exit off-ramp in Marietta. (In

the event of inclement weather, the location will change to: NWC Project Office, 889 Franklin Road, Suite 100, Marietta, GA 30067) View invitation including map to

event.

**Notes:** Parking is limited. Hard hats and safety vests required and will be available for media and

invited guests.